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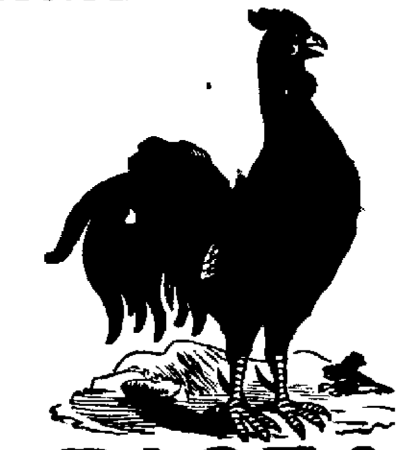
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—IN—
SUMMER GOODS.



J. R. RACE & CO.

Have reduced the price of

SUMMER COATS

To 25 cts. to $1.00 each.

Summer White and Colored Marseilles Vests.

50 cts. to $1.00.

SUMMER PANTS,

50, 75 and $1.00. A good line of

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The best in the United States.

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Are selling at 5 to 10 cents each, and a fine assortment to select from.

Call Early to secure Bargains, as the stock will disappear rapidly.

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Are also offered in

FLANNEL SUITS, LIGHT WEIGHT CASSIMERES

And all kinds of Summer Goods.

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A Booming Trade

Staple and Domestic Goods from Boston

DRY GOODS and MILLINERY from New York; CHECKS, PLAIDS, SHIRTINGS, &c., from Philadelphia; LACES, EMBROIDERIES and FANCY GOODS direct from Importers; WOOLEN YARNS from Ohio; FLANNELS, BLANKETS and JEANS from Indiana.

Miss ALICE HAWKES in Chicago all this week, posting up and making selections of everything New and Fashionable in the

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We buy the best of Goods, and for *spot cash*. We sell Goods cheap. Our expenses are light, and we can afford to. Inspection solicited.

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Sept. 14, 1881—d&wtf

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A NEW STOCK OF—

SMOKED AND CURED MEATS.

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HAMS.

Hams, 11 cents; Sliced Ham, 17½ cents. Lard, 12½ cents.

Breakfast Bacon, Dried Beef, Bologna and Lard at Wholesale and Retail

FRESH MEATS

Of all kinds on hand. We kill only first-class stock. [illegible]

NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }

In the County Court—To the October Term, A. D. 1881.

In the matter of the Estate of Bazzell Wells, deceased

To Catharine Wells, widow, and William H. Wells, Eliza E. Rader, Lecretia Wells and Evenne Bowen, heirs of Bazzell Wells, deceased, and to all whom it concerns:

TAKE NOTICE that at the October term of said court, on Monday, the 17th day of October, 1881, being the first day of said term, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, I will file a final report in said cause and ask that my bondsmen and myself be discharged and that said estate be adjudged to be settled.

Decatur, Ill., Sept. 26th, 1881.

PHILIP DOBSON, Administrator.

E. S. McDONALD, Attorney. (26d1w

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Decorating, Graining, Gilding, Frescoing and Tinting.

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Oct. 26 1880—d[illegible]

AGENTS WANTED for the Best and Fastest Selling Pictorial Books and Bibles.—Prices reduced 33 per cent. National Publishing Co., Chicago, Illinois. June[illegible]

A PRACTICAL WOMAN.

"If the Man Hadn't Stopped to Pray," Etc., "He Would Have Caught," Etc.

A genuine comedy in real life was played in Erie, Pa., the other day. Mrs. Frances Kenedy is a young widow 25 years old. Her husband died about a year ago from a fall. Six months ago William Cumming came courting her, and, his attention not being distasteful to the widow, she finally consented to marry him in twelve months and a day from the date of her husband's death. The happy day fell on Wednesday, and the ceremony was to take place at the bride's house. A magnificent wedding feast was prepared, and about sixty guests were invited to partake of it. The hour appointed for the marriage was set for 6 p. m. In the forenoon the bridegroom elect arrayed himself in his best and went off to invite a few friends in the country, who had been forgotten. The afternoon mail brought a postal card from him stating that he had conscientious scruples about marrying a woman so recently widowed. He would make it a matter of prayer, and would abide the result of his feelings when through. She was not to take this as a positive declination to marry, but if he did not arrive at 6 o'clock p. m., she might consider the marriage off. Mrs. Kenedy did not faint or go into hysterics, but she decked herself in her bridal robes and smilingly received the guests bidden to the feast. When the minister and all those with wedding garments had arrived, the lady called the meeting to order and read the recreant Cumming's card. Loud and prolonged were the denunciations of the absent groom's conduct. "This need not prevent the feast," said Mrs. Kenedy, and the guests fell to banqueting immediately. After supper the room was cleared for dancing, and Mr. Washington Williams, an elderly bachelor, led the German with the bride. He became so enamored of her that within an hour he proposed and was accepted. The minister was recalled, and at 11 p. m. Mrs. Kenedy was made Mrs. Washington Williams. The marriage had scarcely been performed when the door bell was rung violently, and in stalked the conscientious Cumming. He had wrestled in prayer with the question and had concluded to come back and marry. After being introduced to Mrs. Williams it was gently intimated to the broken up Cumming that the lateness of the hour suggested the propriety of his going.

Enterprising Druggists.

Messrs. Hubbard & Swearingen, the live druggists of this city, are always up to the times and ready to meet the demands of their many customers. They have just received a supply of that wonderful remedy that is astonishing the world by its marvellous cures, DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY for Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Hay Fever, Phthisic, Croup, Whooping Cough, Tickling in the Throat, Loss of Voice, Hoarseness, or any affection of the Throat and Lungs. This remedy positively cures, as thousands can testify. If you do not believe it call at Hubbard & Swearingen's drug store and get a Trial Bottle *free of cost* or a regular size bottle for one dollar. As you value your life, give it a trial and be convinced, as thousands already have been. 4

FLEURY strictly adheres to it—One Price Only—all goods marked in plain figures, never deviates. 2 d&wtf.

WE keep everything in our line; low shoes, high shoes, big shoes, little shoes, broad shoes, narrow shoes, fine shoes or coarse shoes, and if you want any other kind of a shoe we will order it for you. We aim to please. Call and see us.
d&wtf BARBER & BAKER

CALICO at 4 cents a yard, worth 6¼ cts, will be on sale Saturday next, Sept. 24,
LINN & SCRUGGS.
Sept 21.

J. F. BURNHAM, Nashua, N. H., Says: The A. S. T. Co. Black Tip is the best protection I have found for children's shoes. Sell them every day; can't keep store without them. 15d&w1w

Quality the *Best*, Prices the *Lowest*, and our hobby is to please our customers.
CHEAP CHARLEY.

BUCKLENS ARNICA SALVE.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Tetter, Chapped hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all kinds of skin eruptions. This Salve is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction in every case or money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box.

NEW Carpets, new Wall-papers, new modes of decorating, new prices. Abel & Locke are turning things upside down. See their card in another place
24-d&wtf

SEE Fleury, the French Cutter, corner of old square, for suits made to order.
Sept 2-d&wtf.

BORTREE'S Duplex Corset Skirt Supporters, $1, at Linn & Scruggs.
June 15-d

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Is all right in its place, but it requires something else to carry on the

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In these times of

Big Competition!

It requires CARE, JUDGMENT, COURAGE, LIBERALITY and UPRIGHT DEALING; you must do as you would be done by, &c., &c.

The Large Army of Customers



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The "Boss Clothier,"

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Know why they do it, and are willing to tell their friends.

We are in daily receipt of

ENTIRE NEW STOCK

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FALL CLOTHING!

Come and see them.

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The "BOSS CLOTHIER," Decatur, Ill.

Aug 23, 1881-d&wtf

GO TO Dr. A. J. Stoner south side City Park, for Mrs. Freeman's New National Dyes. For brightness and durability of color they are unequalled—Color 2 to 5 lbs., price 15 cents
Feb. 28—dtf

INSPECTION invited—OUR prices are *The Lowest*. We have compared and we know.
CHEAP CHARLEY,
The Square-Dealing Clothier

SHELLABARGER'S patent process flour saves one-half the labor in baking, and will make more bread to the pound than any other flour ever sold here
Dec 18-d&wtf

WE WANT your custom, and think we can offer you inducements if you will come and see us, which will be sufficient to satisfy you that our store is the best place in town to trade. Bargains are to be had every day this spring.
d&wtf BARBER & BAKER

WOOD! WOOD!!—Best of dry cord wood for sale at lowest market rates. Orders left at Peter Ullrich's grocery store or by telephone will receive prompt attention J. H. VENNIGERHOLZ.
Aug. 15 d2m

If you want mill feed, corn or oats you can be supplied at SHELLABARGER'S.
Dec. 18—d&wtf

EVERY Shoe that J. W. Baker sells is warranted. Try him when you want Shoes aug19-d&wtf

BIG JOB in Turkey Red Table Damask *only 45c, worth 60c.*
Sept. 1-d&w LINN & SCRUGGS

SPECIAL attention is invited to our New Goods, and also to our "Bargain Table," which has very low-priced attractions every day LINN & SCRUGGS.
March 3-d&wtf

STEEL Engravings, a large assortment just received and on sale at A. J. Wallace &Co's d&wtf

We buy for cash, buy cheap, sell on low margins, try to get the best made and most durable goods that we can find, try to please our customers, never make any misrepresentations knowingly, always willing to correct mistakes, want you trade. Come and see us, we are always glad to see old friends and make new ones. BARBER & BAKER.
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BEST *Materials, Latest Styles, Superior Finish, Perfect Fit, Popular Prices.*
CHEAP CHARLEY

Do not suffer from sick headache a moment longer. It is unnecessary. Carter's Little Liver Pills will cure you. Dose, one little pill. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen. 29



The leading Scientists of to-day agree that most diseases are caused by disordered Kidneys or Liver. If, therefore, the Kidneys and Liver are kept in perfect order, perfect health will be the result. This truth has only been known a short time and for years people suffered great agony without being able to find relief. The discovery of Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure marks a new era in the treatment of these troubles. Made from a simple tropical leaf of rare value, it contains just the elements necessary to nourish and invigorate both of these great organs and safely restore and keep them in order. It is a POSITIVE Remedy for all the diseases that cause pains in the lower part of the body—for Torpid Liver—Headaches—Jaundice—Dizziness—Gravel—Fever—Ague—Malarial Fever, and all difficulties of the Kidneys, Liver and Urinary Organs.

It is an excellent and safe remedy for females during Pregnancy. It will control Menstruation and is invaluable for Leucorrhoea or Falling of the Womb.

As a Blood Purifier it is unequaled, for it cures the organs that make the blood

This Remedy, which has done such wonders, is put up in the LARGEST SIZED BOTTLE of any medicine upon the market, and is sold by Druggists and all dealers at $1.25 per bottle. For Diabetes, enquire for WARNER'S SAFE DIABETES CURE. It is a POSITIVE Remedy.

H. H. WARNER & CO., Rochester, N. Y.

Aug. 13, 1881—d&wly

S.S.S.

Swift's Syphilitic Specific cures all diseases of the blood, Syphilis, Mercurial Poison, Scrofula, old sores, etc. *It cures when all other remedies fail*

"Selling our third gross of S. S. S. Success perfect." JONES & CAREY, Montgomery

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Ask the druggist or write for the little book. SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Prop's, Atlanta, Ga. Sold by druggists everywhere

Shellabarger's Patent Process Flour retains all the nourishment contained in the wheat None of its virtues are want, e-l Try it (Dec 18-d&wtf

THE most elegant line of fall goods just arriving at Fleury's the French cutter, corner of old square. 2 d&wtf

Chicago Exposition.

The Wabash St. Louis & Pacific R. R. will sell tickets from Decatur to Chicago and return at $6.70. Tickets will be sold Sept. 27th and 28th, good until Oct. 3d. Also Oct. 4th and 5th, good until Oct. 10th.
Sept. 7-dtf

"CHEAP CHARLEY'S" CORNER.



Our Summer Stock is mostly closed out, and what is left of it will be slaughtered regardless to cost of production.

OUR FALL AND WINTER STOCK IS COMING IN FAST,

And when we think of its size, we cannot help of thinking of the many friends who we have made since our opening in Decatur. The patronage which our friends bestowed upon us enables us to enlarge our stock constantly, so that without bragging, we can state now that

We Carry the Largest and Best Assortment of

CLOTHING!

For man, youth, boy and child in this city and for many miles around us. We have found one way of thanking our friends in a material way for the assistance which we have received from them, and that is,

By Giving Them the Best Goods for the Least Money.

We will not dwell upon the style of doing our business—it is too well known.

The Best Material, the Latest Styles,
The Finest Workmanship, the Lowest Prices,
No Middleman's Profit,
Goods of Our Own Manufacturing,

So that no competitor can buy the same qualities for the same money that we sell them for.—One price to all, and money refunded if goods are not satisfactory when taken home and returned to us not soiled. Among our

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS

Are many called "CHEAP CHARLEY'S OWN," to which we call special attention. You know we sell those goods as also

TRUNKS and VALISES as well as HATS and CAPS,

At Jobbers' prices. OUR STOCK IS COMPLETE.

"CHEAP CHARLEY."



Not wealth, nor birth nor rank nor state,
But GET RIGHT UP AND GIT that makes men great.

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Manufacturers of

MEN'S AND BOYS'

Clothing!

Dealers in

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DECATUR.

Factory—Chicago, Illinois
March 10—d&wtf

DECATUR GASLIGHT AND COKE CO.'S OFFICE.

DECATUR, ILL., Aug. 25, 1881.

On and after September 1st next the price of Gas will be

$3.50 Per THOUSAND CUBIC FEET,

subject to the following new rates of discount if paid at the office of the Company on or before the 10th day of month, the discount being made 50c per M off for prompt payment and 25c to 75c per M off per quantity consumed as follows

CONSUMPTION PER MONTH.

Less than 5 M, 50c per M off.
5 M and less than 10 M, 75c per M off.
10 M and less than 15 M, $1.00 per M off.
15 M and over, $1.25 per M off.
To consumers using gas, heating or cooking stoves, from May 1 to Nov. 1, without reference to quantity, $1.00 per M off.

By order of Board,

B. K. DURFEE,

Aug 26, 1881—dtf Secretary and Treasurer.

Attachment Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }

In the Circuit Court of Macon county To the December Term, A. D. 1881.

Henry Flood vs. D. M. Osborne & Company.

AFFIDAVIT having been filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county that D. M. Osborne and Company are non-residents of the State of Illinois public notice is hereby given to the said D. M. Osborne and Company that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, dated the third day of September, A. D. 1881, at the suit of Henry Flood and against the estate of D. M. Osborne and Company for the sum of one thousand dollars, directed to the sheriff of Macon county to execute, and that the same has been returned executed by levying on property belonging to the said D. M. Osborne and Company and by garnishment.

Now, unless the said D. M. Osborne and Company shall be and appear before the said Circuit Court of Macon county on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden in the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the first Monday in December, A. D. 1881, give special bail and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of the said Henry Flood and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs will be sold to satisfy the same.

M. McCLELLAN, Clerk

W. C. JOHNS, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Sept. 3, 1881—d1w

$66 a week in your own town. Terms and $5 outfit free. Address H. HALLETT & CO., Portland, Maine. Feb4-d&wly

The French Cutter!

Graduate and Member of the New York Cutter's Association.

JAS. VEALE,

Merchant Tailor,

The Only New York Cutter in the City, brought here in 1870, by Linn & Scruggs.

I have now got

My Fall Stock

and from over 15 years practice in cutting and large experience in goods, can say I have bought the

BEST SELECTED STOCK

EVER BROUGHT TO DECATUR,

and am prepared to make them up in the Latest Styles and on the most reasonable terms.

PERFECT FITS GUARANTEED.

JAMES VEALE,

French Cutter from Cork,

Prairie St., 1 Door West of Water

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Aug. 19, 1881—d3mos

DISSOLUTION.

The copartnership heretofore existing under the firm name of GARVER BROS., Grocers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due the above firm will be collected by F. M. Garver, who will also pay all outstanding bills. The grocery business will be continued by F. M. Garver at the old stand, 65 East Main street, who respectfully asks a continuance of the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed.

F. M. GARVER.
A. M. GARVER.

Sept 27—d3t&w1t

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,

CHARLES LAUX, Proprietor,

South side of the Old Square, Decatur, Illinois

Jan. 1, 1881—d&w

FINE children's suits will again be a specialty for fall goods, at Fleury's, the French Cutter. Call and see them; they are daisies. [illegible]

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HAMSHER & MOSSER, Publishers

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, as second class mail matter.

SATURDAY EVENING, OCT. 1, 1881.

Give Chester a chance.

No man ever came to the presidency confronted by so many delicate questions of a purely party nature as Chester A. Arthur. He has thus far given no one any reason to complain, and it is only simple justice to give him a fair opportunity to develop his policies before condemning him. Let us show him fair play.

A curious story comes from New York to the effect that Blaine is to remain in the cabinet, and that Conkling is to succeed Windom, the plan being to thereby give evidence of President Arthur's desire to put an end to all factional differences in the party. The story may possibly have some foundation, but it does not seem probable.

It don't look much as if the star-route ring is to have a very easy time of it with the new administration. The bomb-shell that was dropped into their camp yesterday certainly carried consternation with it, and some of the more nervous ones are already beginning to make preparations to save their bacon by turning state's evidence.

We had a call yesterday from Rev. J. W. Cecil, of Macon, who is highly indignant over the criticism which appeared in these columns on Thursday upon a sermon delivered by him last Sunday. He said that our correspondent simply lied in reporting his remarks, though a reliable gentleman who was present and heard the sermon asserts that Mr. Cecil not only used the language attributed to him, but did so with marked emphasis. Mr. Cecil says his sermon was read from manuscript, and we informed him that we would be glad to publish his exact language if he would furnish it to us. As the case stands now we have Mr. Cecil denying that he used the language in question, while other gentlemen of equally good repute insist that he did. If he did not say what is alleged, nor use language of equal import, then we have done him an injury for which we certainly owe him an apology, but if he said in substance what our correspondent charges, we shall still insist that the last fool has not been buried yet.

Vaccination as practised in China has two peculiar features. The subject is not operated on the arm or leg, but in the nose; and the Government, while it does not compel people to submit to the operation, practically reaches the same end that it would by doing so, by offering to parents for every child vaccinated a premium of 100 copper cash, which amounts to about 10 cents, and, for a poor Chinaman in his own country, a sum not altogether to be despised.

One of the largest farms in the world is in Colusa county, California. The farm is owned by Dr. Hugh J. Glenn. It contains 55,000 acres, and has a frontage on the Sacramento river of 16½ miles. Wheat is grown on 45,000 acres, and the yield will average 1,000,000 bushels a year. The force employed is 715 men and 800 horses. Dr. Glenn is a Virginian, who commenced life with $110, and who crossed the plains in 1849 with an ox team. In the Sacramento valley, where this great farm is located, are 477,000 acres of land owned by 129 men. The result of this land ownership has been to debar immigration, and choke out tradesmen and mechanics.

No panegyric commemorating a nation's illustrious dead has ever exceeded that pronounced by Pericles, the greatest statesman of Greece, twenty-four centuries ago. Speaking of the Athenian dead that matchless orator said: "Bestowing thus their lives on the public, they have, every one, received a praise that never will decay; a sepulchre that will be most illustrious. Not that in which their bones are mouldering; but that in which their fame is preserved, to be on every occasion, when honor is the employ of either word or act, eternally remembered. The whole earth is a sepulchre of illustrious men. Nor is it the inscription on the columns in their native soil that alone shows their merit, but the memorial of them, better than all inscriptions, in every foreign nation, reposited more durably in universal remembrance than on their own tomb."

Jealousy.

Some poet has said that "All torments of the damned we find in only thee, oh Jealousy, thy tyrant of the mind." This is grandly sweeping and magnificently inaccurate. Any sufferer from Indigestion knows to the contrary. Indigestion, he willins of the tragedy played among the gastric juices of the stomach can, and does double discount the horrors of jealousy. Jealousy is often an attendant upon the latter, and when indigestion is removed this jaundiced companion of a deranged liver flies. Tarasine is the best known remedy extant for impaired digestion, deranged liver, and diseases of the bowels and kidneys.

Dr. A. J. Stoner, Agent. [jul9d4 wkm

The editor of the Philadelphia *Press*, who seems to be well posted as to the inside history of the Chicago Convention, declares that when it was proposed to made Arthur the candidate for Vice President a serious obstacle was encountered in the emphatic objection of Arthur himself. Why did he object? The *Press* offers this explanation:

General Arthur was not free from honorable ambition, but there was a special and potent reason why he did not want the nomination for Vice President. He was then expecting a different and more desirable position. Only eight months later the Legislature of New York was to elect him a United States Senator as the successor of Francis Kernan, and it had already been agreed that General Arthur should be advanced to that place. All the representative leaders of the controlling force in the party—Senator Conkling, Governor Cornell, Mr. Platt, Mr. Crowley—had fully concurred in his selection. It was reasonably certain that, however the Presidential election might result, the Republicans would carry the Legislature of New York. General Arthur's election as Senator was thus as morally sure as any event in the future could be, and that was the position of all others that he desired. On the other hand, the issue of the Presidential election was doubtful, and even if successful, the Vice President would have only the prospect of dignified retirement for a period of four years. General Arthur was thus asked to surrender a certain election to a place which heprized above all others for a dubious contest for an office which he didn't want at all.

Under such circumstances it is not surprising that he shrank from the proposed nomination, and for nearly two hours he resisted the appeals which were made to him. But there was a very earnest desire on the part of the friends of General Garfield, rather than his own, that he should go upon the ticket. They felt the vital importance of carrying New York, and realized that no man could contribute so much to that result as General Arthur with his thorough knowledge of the organization.

General Arthur yielded, on the solicitation of Garfield's friends. Like Garfield himself, he gave up the coveted career in the Senate for a nomination not altogether to his liking.

Let Him Be President.

Danville News.

It was properly persisted, while the late President Garfield was alive, that *he* should be President. By this it was meant that he should be free to shape his policy and choose his advisers, and do all official acts without the domination of anyone else. That was proper.

It is just as proper now that Arthur shall be President, and shall be just as free to choose his cabinet, to shape his policy, and be fully free from undue influences.

It is also proper for those who do not agree with President Arthur to oppose and criticise him.

Some Republican papers are already saying that Arthur should have no confidence until he has earned it. Balaam's beast spoke more sensibly than that. Did the Republican party nominate and elect a man for Vice President that had not gained the confidence of the party?

The truth is, President Arthur had gained the confidence of the party before his nomination. He held it during the canvass, it strengthened during Garfield's sickness, not only with his party, but with the whole people.

The proper feeling for every Republican to cherish is respect and confidence in Arthur until his administration shows corruption or violation of Republican principles.

Oh, What a Cough!

Will you heed the warning. The signal perhaps of the sure approach of that more terrible disease consumption. Ask yourselves if you can afford for the sake of saving 50 cents to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shiloh's cure will cure your cough. It never fails. This explains why more than a million bottles were sold the past year. It relieves croup, and whooping cough, at once. Mothers do not be without it. For lame back, side, or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by Henry Smith, druggist.

Dyspepsia & Liver Complaint.

Is it not worth the small price of 75 cents to free yourself of every symptom of these distressing complaints, if you think so, call at our store and get a bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer, every bottle has a printed guarantee on it, use accordingly and if it does you no good it will cost you nothing. Sold by Henry Smith.

We have a speedy and positive cure for catarrh, diptheria, canker mouth and headache, in SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY. A nasal injector goes with each bottle. Use it if you desire health and sweet breath. Price 50 cents. Sold by Henry Smith. Dec 11-d&weod

The best Carpet sweepers that are made—and what every housekeeper should have—for sale at Linn & Scruggs.

June 8 d&wtf

Health and Happiness.

It seems strange that anyone will suffer from the many derangements brought on by an impure condition of the blood, when SCOVILL'S BLOOD and LIVER SYRUP will restore perfect health to the physical organization. It is indeed a strengthening syrup, pleasant to take, and has proven itself to be the best blood purifier ever discovered, effectually curing Scrofula, Syphilitic disorders, Weakness of the Kidneys, all Nervous disorders and Debility. It corrects indigestion. It makes the old feel young, and the young feel gay; and will invariably drive out of the system the many ills that human flesh is heir to. A single bottle will prove to you its merits as a health renewer, for it acts like a charm, especially when the complaint is of an exhaustive nature, having a tendency to lessen the natural vigor of the brain and nervous system.

For sale by Irwin & Priest.

General Arthur and the Tweed Ring.

L. J. Jennings in the New York World.

When I first began an attack upon the Tammany ring the first man to come forward with encouragement and friendly counsel was Gen. Arthur. Throughout that contest he was far more active in helping to destroy the ring than some others upon whom I had a right to depend for support. They often wavered and were disheartened; but in Gen. Arthur I found to the last a staunch and unshaken ally. He incurred many personal animosities by endeavoring to serve the journal and the cause which I was conducting, but nothing could turn him from what he regarded as his duty. In many subsequent political complications I always found him actuated by the highest sense of honor, free from the slightest taint or suspicion of political jobbery. He never once asked the smallest favor for himself whether in or out of office. If, as I have been informed, he has since been assailed by the journal which he once so greatly assisted in trying times in a thousand different ways, I feel bound to assert that it is a most base, ungrateful and ungenerous act, prompted by personal malice, the causes of which could be easily explained. When explained, it is not Gen. Arthur who would suffer in the estimation of the American people. Through some years of anxiety and difficulty in public affairs, in which it was my lot to take no insignificant part, I knew him intimately, and a man of purest patriotism or a loftier sense of honor I have never known in this or any other country. Time will triumphantly vindicate him from slanderous attacks whether in New York or in London.

Washington, D. C., September 30.—Friends of Mrs. Garfield here have been informed that she is greatly shocked to learn that so large a part of the remains of her late husband is now in the Medical Museum. She consented to the injured vertebrae and rib being brought here, because she understood that they might be used in the trial of the assassin, but she never consented to the bringing of anything else here and believed that all else of the body of her husband was in the casket in Ohio. She now knows that all the inward parts, from the neck to the loins, were brought to Washington, and have been exhibited to no one knows how many curious surgeons. She is indignant, but finds it difficult now to rectify the matter.

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 30.—It is stated by a gentleman in the confidence of Secretary Windom that that gentleman has requested President Arthur to at once accept his resignation, which was tendered in company with those of the other members of the Cabinet at their recent meeting in Washington. Mr. Windom desires action in this matter by the President at a date sufficiently early to allow him to reach St. Paul by October 10, when the Minnesota Legislature meets in extra session.

More Good News.

A Fine Display of New Goods at Bear & Einstein's Fashion Emporium.

While passing No. 28 East Main street, this forenoon, the attention of our reporter was attracted to a magnificent display of new and fashionable Millinery Goods, Notions, Novelties, etc., on sale at Bear & Einstein's popular emporium of fashion. The new millinery goods have just been received, and it's no wonder that the ladies flock to the store to inspect and buy. In addition to the regular goods, the firm has a full line of Germantown Yarns and Zephyrs, Ladies' Underwear, Hosiery, Children's Cloaks and Hoods, Union Suits for children, and many other varieties, besides innumerable novelties in the millinery line that must be seen to be appreciated. The ladies of the firm specially desire all their lady friends to give them an early call. No trouble whatever to show goods. Miss McAllister, late of Chicago, who is one of the very best trimmers in the West, is in the employ of Bear & Einstein. Remember the place, No. 28 East Main street.

Sept. 23—d&wtf

Rescued from Death.

The following statement of William J. Conphin, of Somerville, Mass., is so remarkable that we beg to ask for it the attention of our readers: He says: "In the fall of 1876 I was taken with a violent bleeding of the lungs followed by a severe cough. I soon began to lose my appetite and flesh. I was so weak at one time that I could not leave my bed. In the summer of 1877 I was admitted to the City Hospital. While there the doctors said I had a hole in my left lung as big as a half dollar. I expended over a hundred dollars in doctors and medicines. I was so far gone that at one time a report went around that I was dead. I gave up hope, but a friend told me of DR. WM. HALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS. I laughed at my friends, thinking that my case was incurable, but I got a bottle to satisfy them, when to my surprise and gratification, I commenced to feel better. My hope, once dead, began to revive, and to-day I feel in better spirits than I have the last three years.

I write this hoping you will publish it, so that everyone afflicted with Diseased Lungs will be induced to take DR. WM. HALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS, and be convinced that CONSUMPTION CAN BE CURED. I have taken two bottles and can positively say that it has done more good than all the other medicines I have taken since my sickness. My cough has almost entirely disappeared and I shall soon be able to go to work. Sold by all druggists. 29d&wly-1

For sale by Irwin & Priest.

Wanted,

A first-class housekeeper immediately. Apply at No. 36 South Broadway.

Sept 13—dtf

Gold and Silver Fringes, Spangles Gimp, Lace, Stars, Tassels, Braids and Buttons, at Linn & Scruggs'.

Dec. 20—d&wtf

Saddle Rock Oysters, direct from New York harbor, served in all styles at Rymals', opposite Central depot.

Sept. 6-dtf

TELEGRAPHIC

A BOMB SHELL

Drops Into the Star Route Ring.

Rumors About the Cabinet.

Washington, Sept. 30.—George Bliss, Hon. B. H. Brewster and Col. Cook, as counsel for the Government in the star-route cases, filed in Court this morning a long information against ex-Assistant Postmaster General Brady and others, and the following order was issued:

United States Supreme Court, District of Columbia, holding criminal term. On the reading of the affidavits of Thos. L. James and P. Henry Woodward, and on motion of George B. Corkhill, United States Attorney for the District of Columbia, and William A. Cook, Special Assistant Attorney for the United States, it is ordered that the information annexed to the affidavits be exhibited against Thos. J. Brady, John L. French, Wm. H. Turner, Geo. L. McDonough and Samuel L. Brown for conspiracy to defraud the United States, and that the same be filed and that warrants be issued in the ordinary form as prayed for.

Walter S. Cox, Justice.

This is the first instance in the District that proceedings of this character have been begun by information, but the adjournment of the Grand Jury until Oct. 3, and the operation of the Statute of Limitation rendered this step necessary. The information sets forth in effect that on the first day of October, 1878, in the city of Washington, and within the jurisdiction of the court, Thomas J. Brady, Second Assistant Postmaster General; J. L. French, Chief Clerk; Wm. H. Turner, clerk in Contract Office, together with George L. McDonough, Samuel P. Brown and certain other persons, knowingly, wilfully, unlawfully, fraudulently and corruptly, etc., did conspire, combine and agree together to defraud the United States out of large sums of money in causing and procuring unnecessary, improper and extravagant additional compensation to be paid by the United States for additional service in carrying the mails. The general charge set up in the document is of conspiracy to defraud the Government, and an attempt is made to show the fraudulent proceedings of the alleged conspirators in the manipulation of the contract for carrying the mails on the route between Prescott, Arizona, and Santa Fe, New Mexico, a distance of 400 miles. The document charges the alleged conspirators with defrauding the government out of $350,000 in manipulated contracts for the mail service on the particular route between July 1, '78 and June 30, '80.

One of the counsel for the Government, referring to contemplated action against other persons than those mentioned in the document presented today, said papers are in active preparation to be presented against ex-Senator Dorsey and several other persons who have held office under the Government and that counsel engaged in the prosecution of the Star route cases intend to proceed against them just as fast as the formal papers can be got ready. Nobody, ex-District Attorney Bliss said to-day, connected with the Star Route frauds is to escape prosecution except such persons as may choose to appear and give testimony against others. Warrants are said to have been issued for the arrest of all persons charged with conspiracy in the document presented to-day except Gen. Brady.

Washington, Sept. 30.—The dismay of the parties implicated was unconcealed to-day when Cook opened the prosecution in the star-route cases by information, instead of waiting for indictments. The discovery that the statute of limitations would begin to run October 1st was not made or thought of until after the adjournment of the grand jury Sept. 12. It was then seen that another procedure would have to be tried, and the result was shown in Judge Cox's court to-day. It is pretty certain that this action rendered nugatory the plan to defeat justice conceived shrewdly and worked cunningly almost to success. The fact that one day more of non-action on the part of the prosecution would have been fatal to this particular set of cases not unknown to the accused, and it is more than suspected that it furnished a clue to the motive which led to the adjournment of the grand jury from Sept. 12 to Oct. 3. Not a sufficient reason was given for this action of the district attorney and the court. The purpose to do so was not suspected by MacVeagh, and his indignation has never subsided. Many believe that it was a plot. Proceeding by information instead of indictment is common in the south, but not here. Had the statute of limitation come in, the government would not have had the testimony of Walsh, who is to be the chief witness of the government in developing the methods of the division of spoils, as well as the process by which the various routes were expedited. A number of indictments are ready, naming some 20 persons as fraudulently concerned in star-route contracts. These will be presented to the grand jury next week. It is not thought the cases will be tried before December. A brilliant array of counsel will appear for the defense and every step will be fought.

New York, September 30.—The *Evening Post's* Utica special says: Senator Jones, of Nevada, who has been closeted with Conkling since Wednesday night at the residence of the latter in this city, has left for New York. He was accompanied to the station by Conkling, who boarded the train and remained in the car till it was ready to start. A large delegation of the leading Stalwarts, including Conkling's private secretary, left on the same train with Jones. It was said this morning on trustworthy authority that the conference has been carried on with great care, a stenographer being present most of the time to make full and complete reports. It is now generally believed the result of the conference will have an early and important bearing on affairs at Washington. Those who have been permitted to hear most from the inner walls of Conkling's residence the last two days express themselves with great confidence respecting the ex Senator's immediate future. It is said that the fight of the Conkling men for supremacy in the State Convention will not be continued with more than a show of persistence and it is also intimated today by those near to the ex-Senator that he does not care to have a seat in the convention.

Washington, Sept. 30.—The report comes from New York that Arthur has tendered a place in his cabinet to Judge Lapham, the new senator from New York. This would leave to Gov. Cornell the opportunity to call a special session to elect a senator, opening the way for Conkling.

New York, Sept. 30.—At the primaries to-night to choose delegates to the Republican state convention, the so-called Conklingites carried all the assembly districts except the ninth. The rumor that Grant was to be chosen as a delegate from the 20th district proved untrue. There was a struggle in the 15th district, but the Conkling ticket was declared elected. The people identified with the administration of Garfield against Conkling claim to have carried Brooklyn.

Whitehall, N. Y., Sept. 30.—The Essex county Republicans elected an anti-stalwart delegation.

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 30.—The Republicans of the fourth district send a stalwart delegation to state convention.

Rochester, Sept. 30.—The Republican city convention names from the second assembly district to the state convention a stalwart delegation throughout.

Albany, Sept. 30.—The result of the Republican primaries is disputed. The stalwarts claim 13 of 17 wards, while the anti-stalwarts say it stands—stalwarts 9, anti-stalwarts 6, divided 2.

Little Rock, Sept. 30.—Information has been received from Washington, Hempstead county, this morning, confirming the report of last night that the robbers of the train near Hope last Thursday had been captured. Stevens, the leader of the gang, was arrested by Clark Hall, a conductor on the Iron Mountain, assisted by Patrick Landrigan, a watchman at the Texarkana depot. Stevens was caught yesterday morning near Sulphur Springs, Texas. He had gone that distance on horseback having traded horses four times. In one or two instances he gave an exorbitant price in addition to a worn-out horse for a fresh animal. The other two robbers, Wm. Cox and Jesse Monroe, were caught in the Indian Nation by a part of Sheriff William's posse, of Hempstead county, who has been on the trail since the robbery. The two made a desperate resistance, firing at the deputies as soon as they demanded their surrender. About fifteen shots were exchanged but no damage done. The boys have been identified and placed in the county jail at Hempstead. The youngest is twenty-one and the oldest twenty-four years of age.

New York, Sept. 30.—Secretary Lincoln and Mrs. Lincoln left the city on the 10 o'clock train last night for Boston, on their way to Rye Beach, N. H., where it is the intention of Mr. Lincoln to remain until after the opening of the extra session of the senate, when he will return to Washington. To a *Tribune* reporter with whom he conversed at the Gilsey house, he said he did not care to talk politics, as he was now on his vacation, and intended to be a private citizen. It was his intention to go to Rye Beach to escape from everybody, as he felt worn out.

When asked whether the report was true that he would succeed Senator Davis, he replied that he was surprised that such nonsense had been published.

At the same hotel Secretary Hunt was registered. He seemed careworn and looked several years older than when on his first visit to the city prior to the shooting of President Garfield. In speaking of his plans he said that on Tuesday he should begin to inspect the Brooklyn navy-yard, and then go to the Charlestown yard, returning to Washington in time for the opening of the senate. He was reluctant to speak about cabinet matters. He said there would undoubtedly be changes made, but he would not give names.

Postmaster General James spent most of the day at the postoffice, in Mr. Pearson's room, where he received many callers. He will leave this city for Washington this morning at 8 o'clock.

In conversation with a reporter he said: "I am in full accord with Secretary MacVeagh when he says that the President should be allowed to choose his own cabinet, and I will add that he should be allowed as much liberty in doing so as a man should in making the selection of his wife. No man should seek or seem to seek to be in the cabinet."

Always examine J. W. Baker's stock of Boots and Shoes before you buy.

aug 19-d&wtf.

Bortree's Duplex Corset Skirt Supporters, $1, at Linn & Scruggs.

June 18-d

NEW PRINTS

GINGHAMS,

MUSLINS, TICKS,

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CANTON FLANNELS,

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Received To-Day!

Also, full stock of

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BEAUTIFUL EMBROIDERIES.

Look Out for New Goods Every Day.

F. L. HAYS & CO.

Sept.5—d&wtf

WE ARE

Showing larger and better lines of *everything* this fall than we have ever shown.

We invite comparison of prices on *any* and *everything* we keep.

We are sure we not only give you a finer selection, but *lower prices than smaller dealers can give you.*

We carry a nice line of Diamonds at prices lower than *large city dealers* can offer them. We buy these goods *for cash,* direct of importers, as low as *any one* can buy them, and can afford to sell them at closer figures than Chicago or St. Louis dealers, as our expense of doing business is a mere trifle compared to theirs.

See us before you spend your money.

OTTO E. CURTIS & CO.

LEADING JEWELERS.

Aug. 27, 1881—d&wly

Pure Grape Wine.

The President and a committee from the Farmers' Club, of the American Institute, have visited Speer's Vineyards and Wine Cellars, and they report that the Port Grape Wine of Alfred Speer, of Passaic, New Jersey, is the most reliable wine to be obtained. It is now being used by physicians who are the most choice in the selection of wines for convalescent patients. The principal hospitals in New York have adopted this wine. Its supremacy is supposed to arise from the iron in the soil. The vineyards are on a brown stone shale rock. For sale by W. C. Armstrong. oct 1—d2w

She Got it Free of Charge.

Call at Stoner's drug store and get a sample bottle of Brown's Expectorant free of charge. It cures coughs, hoarseness, whooping cough, and consumption in its early stages.

It is a scientific preparation, admirably adapted for the cure of all throat and lung diseases. It is pleasant to take and entirely harmless.

Try it. It costs you nothing. Regular size bottles 50 cents and $1.00. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. July8d&w6mo

DON'T FAIL TO
SEE AND READ
CHEAP CHARLEY'S
NEW ADVERTISEMENT.

Call at Bachman's, south side city park, for the best and cheapest furniture in the city—a bargain in every article

Aug 15—dtf.

New lot of steel engravings on selection for a short time, at A. J. Wallace & Co's. d&wtf

Growing daily in popular favor—Osmer's "King" nickel cigar. Try one.

Sept 19—d1w

Large Supply

Of Black Calicoes, Cambrics and cheap mourning goods for drapery, etc., at the Popular New York Store. d&wt

OPERA HOUSE.

ONE NIGHT ONLY.

MONDAY, OCT. 3rd.

Fifth Avenue Company

The only Company authorized to produce Augustin Daly's New York Successes for the Season of 1881-'82. The new Comedy entitled

Needles and Pins

Produced with every care and attention to detail.

Prices—35, 50 and 75 cents. Reserved Seats for sale at Curtis & Co.'s without extra charge on and after Thursday, Sept. 29th.

Sept. 28—d&d

FURNITURE!

MATTRESSES, PILLOWS

PARLOR SUITES,

BED-ROOM SETS,

DINING-ROOM FURNITURE,

LOOKING GLASSES,

QUEENSWARE,

GLASSWARE,

LAMPS,

HULL'S VAPOR STOVES

The Best Summer Stove ever made;

COOKING AND HEATING STOVES

The most desirable patterns;

BASE BURNERS,

NEW STYLES;

In fact, almost everything you may want for Housekeeping.

If you would secure Bargains in any goods I keep, please call at the Mammoth Stores of

R. LIDDLE,

Court House Block.

Decatur, Ill., Aug. 17, 1881—d&wtf

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of two fee bills to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, one in favor of Melissa Z. Funk, and one in favor of Ichabod Baldwin, et al., and both against Sarah A. Purdy, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Twenty-six and two-thirds (26 2-3) feet off of the west side of lot No. nine [9], in block No. one [1]; also the undivided two-thirds [2-3] interest in thirteen and one-third [13 1-3] feet off of the east side of lot No. nine [9], in block No. one [1], all in Watt & Co's Addition to Decatur. Taken as property of the said Sarah A. Purdy, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house, in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 18th day of October, A. D. 1881, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 22d day of September, A. D. 1881.

WILLIAM W. FOSTER,
Sheriff Macon county, Illinois.

Sept. 22—d3w

$72 A WEEK. $12 a day at home easily made. Costly outfit free. Address True & Co., Augusta, Maine. Publ-ddwly

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SATURDAY EVENING, OCT. 1, 1881.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

LUNCH BASKETS in endless variety, at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

PAY your box rent.

SENSATIONS fit to print are scarce.

MONDAY night—"Needles and Pins."

KID gloves and carriages will be in demand next week.

WHAT'S the matter with your post-office box?

MUD is plentiful. Fix up the crossings and sidewalks.

THE town of Taylorville will soon boast of a telephone exchange.

DECATUR is going to have another "Uncle Tom" entertainment, but the company won't reach us until December 7th.

THE invitations for the Decatur Guards Drum Corps opening ball on the 11th inst., will be sent out early next week. It will be a fashionable affair.

CALL for Schroeder's celebrated Bohemian cigars, and you will get the best nickel smokers.

DURING the past two weeks deals in real estate have been decidedly lively in Decatur.

WHERE will the skating rink be located this winter? asks a reader. We give it up. Ask Sam Adams or Frank Bayliss. Where are they? Let them come to the front.

NEW YORK Saddle Rock Oysters—big fat ones, just as nice as they can be—at 29-3d MILLER'S LUNCH ROOM.

THE Supreme Court has reversed and remanded the case of Patsey Devine, tried for murder, convicted and condemned to death at the December, '80, term of the circuit court of DeWitt county. Devine doubtless feels relieved.

W. C. ARMSTRONG'S stock of drugs is complete. The filling of physicians' prescriptions is a specialty at Armstrong's drug store.

A SURE cure for consumption, bronchial affections, sore lungs, whooping-cough and all complaints of the throat, lungs or chest. We mean Dr. Marshall's Lung Syrup. 1

DAY board $3 per week; meals at all hours, 25 cents, at Frank Boyd's English Kitchen, south of court house.
Sept 27-d1w*

FRED WARDE will probably play "Othello" in Decatur on the night of the 17th inst. He will be supported by the following talented persons: Henry Averling, Leonard Outram, J. R. Curran, O W. Blake, W. S. Marion, Hallet Murrey, Royal Roche, Eugene Carroll, J. W. Ransome, J. J. Sullivan, Florence Elmore, Marian Clifton, Florence Watts and Louise Denmon.

BEST finished Photographs $1.00 per dozen at WELLS'. [Sep22dtf

THE Harrison's "Photos" company includes the following people: Alice Harrison, Miss Selvi, Fanny Wright, Louis Harrison, George W. Howard, W. F. Thompson, Henry Warren and Jay Hunt. Mart W. Hanley is the manager. They are booked to appear in this city this season.

WORKMEN! look to your interests and save doctor bills, by using Dr. Marshall's Lung Syrup for all cases of coughs, colds, etc. Price only 25 and 50 cents a bottle 1

THE ladies of the First M. E. church will hold a sociable and festival in the lecture room of the church on the evening of Tuesday, Oct 4th, to which all are cordially invited. Ice cream, oysters, etc., in abundance. A reception for the new minister will be held at the same time and place, and you are invited to come and get acquainted and bring some of your friends with you. Come out and spend an hour in a friendly social manner, and then you will be ready for the refreshments. Come out. dtd

YOU will find health, wealth, and happiness in a bottle of the Big Blood and Liver Cure, called Dr. Marshall's Bromidiae, fifty cents a bottle Buy it of druggists. 24

THE Chicago *Legal News* has received of Charles Emmerson, Esq., County Clerk of Edwards county, Ill., a copy of his annual financial reports to the County Board. The total receipts for the year are $18,799.78; total expenditures, $14,126.72; and the balance in the treasury, $4,738.50 Economy in expenses is manifest in the fact that the report shows that the total salary of the county clerk for the past year is $476.

P. B. PROVOST is now prepared to do all kinds of Upholstering in first-class style and at the lowest living prices He has a No. 1 workman in his employ Call at his place of business, over the Provost feed store, on Prairie street
Sept. 28—dtf

DON'T forget that W. L. Ferguson has the largest stock of cooking and heating stoves in the city. His business has increased to such an extent that he has been compelled to rent the building formerly occupied by J. E. Kinney as a coal office. Also, in connection with his large stock of new stoves he has a good assortment of second hand cooking and heating stoves, which are being sold at very low prices. Call and save your money, near SheHabarger's new mill.
29-d2w-w1.

HADCLIFF & BULLARD, dealers in all kinds of Coffins, Caskets and Robes; prices ranging from the cheapest to the most expensive. For the use of small white hearse in the city only $5.00. We guarantee satisfaction to all who will favor us with their work. Night calls left at the New Deming Hotel, or at our place of business, southwest corner of old square, Decatur, Ill., will receive our prompt personal attention.
Sept. 17—d&wtf

TO-DAY the fair managers began issuing checks for cash premiums awarded at the late Macon county exposition, paying off premiums at the rate of 66⅔ cents on the dollar. The cash premiums paid in full were $975—$600 being for actual running expenses and $375 for speed ring premiums. The total receipts were about $3,150; total expenses about $2,700. Macon county had an exhibition above the average and did much better in every respect than Logan, Douglas, Sangamon and McLean counties. Logan county paid only 50 cents on the dollar. McLean and Sangamon counties didn't do that well. It is suggested that the county appropriate $5,000 to fit up the grounds and buildings in proper shape, and that the citizens of Decatur contribute $5,000 more to aid in that enterprise. With $10,000 the grounds could be made a great deal more attractive and would prove a famous resort for public gatherand pleasure parties,

YESTERDAY afternoon Deputy Sheriff Mauzy, who has a warrant in his possession for the arrest of Dick Shepherd for making a murderous assault on George Buckhold, had a lively but unsuccessful chase after the party wanted. Dick was seen by the officer on West Decatur street and started for him, but the young man took to his heels and kept on running. The officer fired four shots after him from his trusty Derringer, but Dick was bound for the woods, paying no attention to the 4th of July demonstration going on in the rear. He got away finally, and the chase was abandoned. Buckhold, it will be remembered, was called to the door of his residence on Decatur street, not long since, and was knocked senseless by a brick thrown at his head. He is now out of danger, though he was dangerously ill for several days.

"NEEDLES and Pins," a highly amusing performance, will be given at the opera house next Monday night by the Fifth Avenue Company. The fun of the piece is manifest from the first rising of the curtain, and continues unabated to the close. The piece is in four acts, each one full of happy hits, the like of which one rarely hears in a theatre. An exchange says the stage settings are sumptuous, the masquerade scene being particularly rich and elaborate with its tropical plants, its fine floral display, its waterfall and brilliant surroundings. Miss Jesse Fremont, a niece of Hon. John C. Fremont, takes a leading character in the play, which she sustains with marked ability. Popular prices—35, 50 and 75 cents.

IT will be remembered that in the Monticello Loan Association case, when first taken to the Supreme Court, the decision was affirmed. A re-hearing was prayed for and granted. The decision on the re-hearing of the case was filed Friday with the Clerk of the Supreme Court, which reverses the former decision and remands the case back.

ABOUT 500 invitations were sent out for the Simpson—Brown wedding at the Presbyterian church on the evening of the 5th, but only the relatives and a very few friends received invitations to the reception to be held at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown

THE last excursion to Cincinnati this year from this part of the country will be given by the I., D. & S. Railway next Wednesday, Oct 5th. This will give a splendid opportunity to those who wish to attend the closing of the Industrial Exposition The fare for the round trip is $3 75 Tickets for sale at the office of the company here.

THERE was a small attendance of people at the tabernacle last night to hear Mrs Henry's address on temperance.—The unpleasant weather prevented the friends of the cause from coming out.—Attend the meeting to-night.

FRED NORMAN has sold the west half of his residence property on Seigel street, in the 3rd ward, to Miss Jessie Drake for $1,700. There is a comfortable and well-appointed dwelling on the lot, which is 150 feet deep and 150 feet front.

ATTEND the sociable and reception at the 1st M. E. church Tuesday evening.—The new pastor, Rev. Dimmitt, will be present. It will be a good time to form his acquaintance.

HAVE you selected a chair for "Needles and Pins" Monday night? It will be a jolly entertainment. The cast of characters includes 12 artists.

THE crape that has been hanging on buildings in Decatur since Sept. 20th, is gradually disappearing.

YOUNG STULL, the alleged horse thief, was taken to Niantic to day for a preliminary hearing before a justice there.

A Sharp Trick.

John Stillwell is a conductor on the Wabash. At Washington he saw four fellows getting into a car to rob it. He waited until they were well inside, when he nailed up the car and brought it into this city, when he handed the villains over to the police This we call sharp practice.—*Peoria Journal*

Masonic.

Regular communication of Macon Lodge No. 8, A. F. & A., this (Saturday) evening at 7½ p. m. All Masons in good standing are respectfully invited to meet with us.

JOHN HATFIELD, W. M.
WM. L. HAMMER, Sec.

Rooms to Rent.

Three rooms to rent, furnished or not; day board across the street. Reference required. Apply at 52 West Main street, or address P. O. Box 1164. Oct1d6

A. BOORN'S celebrated brand of oysters at Barnes', No. 26 East Main street Prices as follows:
Stew, 25 cents.
Raw, 30 cents.
Fry, 40 cents. Sept8dtf.

A Serious Charge.

Yesterday Sheriff Foster visited Pleasant View township in quest of George Millhorn, who is charged with having attempted to outrage the person of Florence A. Lane, a married woman. The assault is alleged to have been made during the past summer. The sheriff arrested Millhorn on the warrant and brought him to the city last night at 9:15 o'clock, and this morning the accused appeared before Justice Curtis and gave bonds in the sum of $200 for his appearance for trial at 1 p. m. The hearing is in progress as we go to press.

Gov. Oglesby at Leadville.

Ex-Governor Oglesby, of this city, delivered the Garfield memorial oration at Leadville, Colorado, on Monday, and the *Chronicle* of that mountain town made the following allusion to the effort:

The oration delivered yesterday by Hon. Richard J. Oglesby, of Illinois, was like all his speeches—eloquent and graceful. Mr. Oglesby has hosts of friends here, and none the fewer because he always says the right thing at the right time and in the right way. He is a citizen of Illinois whom Colorado would do well to borrow for the next ten years, and if his mines turn out as they promise, we shall probably keep him for awhile.

FOR such a bad night for pedestrians a good-sized audience greeted the appearance of the Frank Mordaunt party at the opera house last evening when the 4-act play "Old Shipmates" was presented for the first time in Decatur. The plot hinged on a sum of money, and the entertainment was one of lively interest from the beginning to the fall of the curtain at the close of the last act. Mr. Mordaunt was the leading character and hero of the play, and was well supported. The entertainment gave good satisfaction.

LOCK-JAW AND PINK-EYE.

The Grip These Diseases Have on Chicago Horses—The Disease in Decatur.

The new disease among horses is attracting general attention in this community, and no little alarm is felt that there will be trouble ahead; but so far there has been but little sickness among the Decatur equines. Six horses at Hardy Bros.' livery stable have been troubled with pinkeye, but all are nearly well. William Beard's horses have been troubled with the same complaint, and D. W. Brenneman's "Stoner Boy" is in better shape. There are no doubt other horses in this city and county that are afflicted with the new disease that have not been reported. In Clinton and other neighboring towns pink-eye has made its appearance.

A NEW TROUBLE.

We take the following from the Chicago *Evening Journal* of Sept. 30th:

There are two forms of horse disease now prevailing in this city. One is "pink-eye," which has been so generally written up. The other is a species of tetanus or lock jaw. The last named disease is more fatal than the other, as the horses rarely ever recover from it. It first made its appearance about two weeks ago and has been doing its work very quietly ever since. In Louisville its ravages have been very severe, and in Chicago some very fine horses have been killed by it Detective James Morgan, who has had charge of horse matters at the Central Station for over ten years, lost a beautiful mare from this new complaint, lock jaw, last week, and many other horses are afflicted with it. Ald. Dixon lost a valuable mare by it. Dr. Bowen, the veterinarian of the Fire Department, says that he has had a couple of cases of the disease resembling tetanus. It invariably proves fatal. Seventeen horses are sick in the fire department. Seven of the police patrol horses are down Hon. Joseph Medill's stable is suffering from pink eye. Mayor Harrison's horse is sick. Dr. Bowen says that when the horses become weak and debilitated he administers quinine, iron and golden seal. The latter named is an herb tonic known to veterinarians.

A Desperate Struggle.

Phin Halstead, a brakeman on the Peoria, Decatur & Evansville Road, is lying at the point of death at Lincoln, on account of an accident. On Wednesday, while switching a freight train, his foot was caught in a frog. He held on to the car with desperation until torn loose, knowing that this was the only chance of escape from being killed by the backing train, but in his struggle for liberty he was thrown under the car, and his abdomen was terribly lacerated.

$5.25 to St. Louis and Return.

The Wabash will sell round-trip tickets from Decatur to St. Louis for $5 25, and throw in a ticket to the fair. Tickets will be sold commencing Saturday, Oct. 1st, good up to and including Oct. 5th. A special train will leave St. Louis for Decatur on the night of Oct. 4th, after the parade of the Veiled Prophets. dtd

Wanted.

A good girl to do general housework. Will give $3.50 per week for one willing to work Call for Mrs. D. A. Maffit at W. J. Usrey's, on North Church street.

Traveling Men

find it hard to keep in good health, owing to the constant change of water, diet and the jarring of the cars. All these things injure the kidneys, while Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure is certain to counteract them. 1—d&w1w

For Sale.

The Charley Drohn gray horse. Apply to S. B. McClelland, at Kramer & McClelland's carriage factory. [sep27d10d

Stove for Sale.

I have a splendid nickel plated, hard coal base burner parlor stove—good as new—for sale. Call at my residence on Cemetery street. O N. BRAMBLE.
S28-d1w

Wanted.

Horses for the Eastern market. Will buy from Oct. 1st to Oct. 7th. Good sound, well-broken double or single drivers, draft and coach horses, weighing from 1,000 to 1500 pounds each, at No. 37 North Church street, Decatur, Ill.
S28-w2d1w E. B. PRATT.

DECATUR AT BLOOMINGTON.

Annual Convention of the State Y. M. C. A.—Mr. Brown's Report.

Those of the Decatur Y. M. C. A. who are in attendance at the annual convention of the Illinois State Young Men's Christian Association, at Bloomington, are I. J. Davis, H. E. Tarry, Mrs. A. M. Shepard, Miss Mary L. Brett, George T. Tucker, Miss Nellie Pratt, and others.—There are also delegates present from each of the other associations in the state, and the proceedings are of an unusually interesting character. In his annual report State Secretary I. E. Brown, formerly of this city, states that during the past year he has written 298 circular letters, 912 letters and postal cards; sent out 2,841 documents and 1,306 reports; attended five conventions, five district conferences, 36 other conferences, and 13 other gatherings of various kinds; led 40 meetings and participated in 54 others; given 78 addresses and Bible readings; made 100 visits to 43 different points within the state, visited 9 points in other states, and traveled 15,312 miles.

THE STATE WORK.

The following from Mr. Brown's report will give the general reader an idea of the extent and importance of the Y. M. C. A. work in Illinois:

There are about 550,000 young men in our state. There are 28 colleges and 2 State Normal Universities, containing 6,000 students. Eleven of these have organized associations. There are 23 towns having a population of 7,500 or over. Of these only eight have Young Men's Christian Associations; five of which have general secretaries. There are at least eight points where a work should be started and maintained among railroad men.

Such, brethren, is the field to which the Lord has called us. When we realize how little has been accomplished our hearts are filled with a longing desire to do more for the young men, and our prayers go up to the Father that he would give us greater earnestness, zeal and steadfastness in this branch of Christian activity.

Still, we are not without thanksgiving as we review the work of the past year and trace the dear Lord's hand. One year ago only 22 associations were known to us in the state. During the year two have been dropped. Our list now contains 37 associations with 3 branches. Of the additional number 9 are new associations. Of these 45 associations and branches 24 made reports previous to the convention.—Twenty-two report a membership of 2,750. 18 expended $31,037 13 have reading rooms, 9 of which have an average daily attendance of $50, 10 have libraries, three own buildings valued at $124,500, 8 secure situations for young men, 4 of these secure situations for 4,880 during the year; 9 have Bible classes, 18 hold prayer meetings at their rooms, 23 hold other meetings, 13 observed the day of prayer in November last, 11 had sermons preached to young men, 13 report special religious interest, 10 report conversions, 18 men give their whole time to the work of this state.

A Pleasant Surprise.

A pleasant affair took place at the residence of Rev. N. M. Baker, in Long Creek township, five miles east of Decatur, on Wednesday, Sept. 28th, in the shape of a surprise on Mr. and Mrs. Baker, which was gotten up by the Prairie Hall and North Fork congregations and friends, which was beautifully arranged and carried out by the managers, as it was kept an entire secret from Mr. and Mrs. B., until wagons began coming in from all directions loaded down with well filled baskets, and at 12 o'clock the 50 foot table which was erected in Mr. B.'s walnut grove, was loaded down with all the luxuries of the season. There were about 150 persons present at the surprise, 130 of whom took dinner in the grove. Following is a list of presents received: Set of silver knives and forks, Mr. and Mrs. S. Mahannah; fine cake stand, Mr. J. E. Rucker; parlor lamp, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Davis; table linen, Mrs. Matilda Walker; fine chromo, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Clark; honey dish, Mrs. John Ancker; fruit dish, Mrs. Harkrider; cake stand, Mrs. C. A. Heckel; silver bouquet holder, Mrs. Samuel Markley and other persons too numerous to mention.
J. F.

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW.

STAFF'S CHAPEL.

The pastor will preach the opening sermons of the present conference year. Morning subject: "What I Shall Preach this Year." Evening subject: "How I Shall Preach it." Class meeting at 9 a. m. and at the close of morning service. Sunday School at 2 p. m. All are cordially invited.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. W. H. Prestley, the pastor, will preach morning and evening at the usual hours. All are invited.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH.

Rev. Mr. Trueblood, the new pastor, will conduct services at the usual hour in the forenoon. Rev. L. Field will preach at 7:30 p m. Come and hear the new preacher.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

Preaching by the pastor morning and evening. Classes at 9 a. m., and after the morning service Sunday school at 2 p. m.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Elder Humphrey will occupy the pulpit at 10:30 a. m. No services in the evening.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Services as usual, morning and evening. Preaching by the pastor, Rev M. L. Laws.

CARTER'S Little Liver Pills have no equal as a prompt and positive cure for sick headache, biliousness, constipation, pain in the side, and all liver troubles. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen. 29

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CONSTIPATION is positively cured by Carter's Little Liver Pills. Not by purging and weakening the bowels, but by regulating and strengthening them. This is done by improving the digestion and stimulating the liver to the proper secretion of bile, when the bowels will perform their customary functions in an easy and natural manner. Purgative pills must be avoided. Ask for Carter's Little Liver Pills. Price 25 cents. 29

IF you do not want to pay fancy prices for Shoes trade at J. W. Baker's.
aug19 d&wtf.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Perry Vance is in the city to-day.

Chester D. Holliday is recovering from his recent attack of fever.

Miss Gertrude Smith came in on the P., D. & E. from Dalton this morning.

Joseph Grass returned f. the Peoria state fair last evening.

Chas. W. Montgomery arrived in the city this noon from St. Louis.

Mrs. Dr. J. N. Randall and daughter Bertha have returned from their trip to Philadelphia and other eastern cities.

State's Attorney Johns departed for Niantic this morning to prosecute Ed Stull, the alleged horse-thief.

Edward Haworth, Theo. Nelson and John W. Phillips, who represented Haworth & Sons' interests at the state fair this week, arrived home from Peoria last night.

"Cale" Sells, one of Decatur's show boys, whose flow of language in his line is unapproachable, is in the city to-day, and will leave for the sunny south next week.

Rev. Mr. Canaird, of New York, will probably be the regular pastor at the Christian church. He will arrive in Decatur next week, and will preach on Sunday, Oct. 9th.

Rev. D. P. Bunn is home from Galesburg, where he has been since Monday attending the annual state meeting of the Universalist ministers. He will leave for Mt. Pulaski this afternoon, where he will hold services on Sunday.

Jesse Lefergee and daughter, Miss Rennie, arrived home this morning from Poplar Plains, Ky., where they had been for a week visiting relatives and friends. They were in Cincinnati two days, and at Indianapolis one day.

Mayor Waggoner, who has been at Indianapolis since Wednesday last, attending the Indiana state fair and visiting relatives, arrived home this morning. He says the dust there yesterday was several inches thick. No rain and no prospect of it.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McIntosh, of St. Thomas, Canada, have been in the city for two or three days, guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Taylor They were but recently married, the bride having been one of the accomplished belles of St. Thomas. Mr. McIntosh and bride will leave for Hannibal, Mo., this afternoon, where they will reside, Mr. Mc. being connected with the H. & St. Jo R'y at that point.

CAPT. T. H. BARR desires us to call attention to his sale of stock at his residence 2½ miles west of Argenta, in Friends Creek township, Macon co., Ill., to take place Oct. 12th, 1881. The stock consists of horses, sheep, cattle and hogs, all of a firstrate quality. He will offer 30 male and 50 female shoats,—Poland Chins, and eligible to record in A. P. C. Record.

The Illinois Eldership.

The Lord willing, the opening sermon of the Illinois Eldership of the Church of God will be preached in the Bethel, in the city of Decatur, by Elder George Sandoe of Martinsville, on Wednesday eve., Oct. 5th. The Eldership will enter upon its regular annual business on the following morning. The Ministerial Association of the Illinois Eldership will meet on the 5th. The opening sermon to be preached on the evening of the 4th by Elder W. P. Berkstresser. All are cordially invited.
28d&wtd

For Rent.

After Oct. 1st, the store room at No. 30 Merchant street will be for rent.
Oct. 30-dtf. MILLS & HARRY.

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Sept. 21—d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS

DECATUR MARKETS.

DECATUR, ILL., Oct. 1, 1881

Following are ruling retail prices:

Red Wheat flour, per 100	4.00
White " " "	4.25
White loaf " "	4.75
Potatoes, new, per bushel	$1.00 1.20
Butter, per pound	25 to 35
Eggs, per dozen	20
Turnips, per bushel	2.00
Cabbage, per head	15 to 20
Sugar, per pound	8 to 12½
Coffee, "	35 to 35
Tea, "	40 to 1.00
Lard, "	15
Bacon, sides, per pound	12½
Bacon, breakfast "	12½ to 15
Hams, per pound	14 to 15
Dried beef, per pound	15 to 20
Apples, per bushel	60 to 80
Onions	1.00
Sweet potatoes, per bushel	2.25

COAL.

Hard coal, per ton	$8 50 to $8.50
Mt. Olive Soft coal	$3 50
Decatur "	$3.00

PAYING PRICE.

Wheat, per bushel	$1.30 to 1.35
Corn, " "	60 to 75
Oats " "	35 to 40
Hay, prairie, per ton	7.00
" timothy "	11.00
Baled hay, "	15.00

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The Closing Quotations at McWhorter & Bolton's Commission Rooms at 1 p. m. To-Day.

CHICAGO, Oct. 1.

Wheat—$1.39½ Oct; $1.43¾ Nov; $1.45¾ Dec; $1 40¾ Year.
Corn—74 Oct; 73¾ Nov; 72¾ Dec; 78¼ May.
Oats—45¼ Oct; 40 Nov; 40 Dec; 50 May.
Pork—$19.25 Nov;
Lard—$12.35 Nov; $12.20 Jan.

UNION STOCK YARDS.

	RECEIPTS.	SHIPMENTS.
Wheat—bushels	45,553	42,057
Corn "	467,934	144,745
Oats "	47,761	105,169
Rye "	12,704	2,425

Car lots—Wheat, 64; corn 940; oats 73; rye 23.

TOLEDO, Oct. 1.

Wheat—$1.47¾ cash; $1.52¾ Nov; dull.
Corn—70¼ cash; 71 Oct; dull.
Oats—46 cash; dull.

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Our Department of HATS and CAPS comprises the staple as well as the nobby styles and recommends itself to the old and young.
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REMEMBER OUR FALL STOCK, in every Department, is DAILY ARRIVING, and that we endeavor to be worthy the name given to us as
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Jun1d&w1y

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Decatur, Ill., Sept. 24, 1879—d&wtf

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Communicate by mail, or call personally on Mrs Cain between 3 and 6 o clock P. M., No. 45 South Water street. Terms and circulars upon application Special attention given to Bible and Shakespearian Readings.
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of two fee bills to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Andrew Dennis and against Madison Bradshaw, Seth Hanks and Susan Hanks, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The undivided one-half interest beginning twenty-two (22) chains and ten and one-half (10½) links east of the southwest corner of the northwest quarter (¼) of section eighteen (18), in township sixteen (16), north of the base line, range No two (2) east of the third (3d) principal meridian, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois; running thence north fifteen (15) chains and fifty-eight (58) links to the Decatur and Springfield Road, thence along said road north eighty-two and three-fourths degrees east (82¾ deg E) seven (7) chains and forty-seven (47) links to a stake, thence south sixteen [16] chains and sixty-seven [67] links to a stake thence west seven [7] chains and forty-three and one-half [43½] links to the place of beginning, containing nine and ninety-nine one hundredths acres.

Taken as property of the said Seth Hanks, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house, in Decatur, in Macon county, in said State, on the 24th day of October, A D 1881, at the hour of two o'clock p m of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

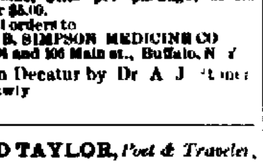
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Sept 22-d'w

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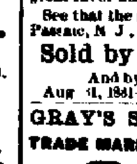
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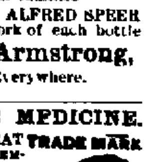
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Jan20-d&wtf

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May 18—d&w6mos

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Mosquito Canopies, frames and nets, at LINN & SCRUGGS
8-d&wtf

For Sale.

Summer Cooking Stoves that *never* get out of order—on this we challenge the world—at Wingate's Decatur Lamp Store m1dtf

In Trouble.

Wingate, the Lamp store man, says the St Louis Summer Cooking Stove Factory cannot make stoves as fast as he can sell them, their excellence and cheapness is what's the matter. Everybody that sees them in operation want one right off [June 3 dtf

REMEMBER our Bargain Table contains goods at very *low prices*
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Just Received,

New stock of carpets, wall paper and curtains. We invite the public generally to call, see our styles, examine quality and hear prices. ABEL & LOCKE
7—dm

Cincinnati Exposition

The Wabash will sell tickets from today until Oct 7th, good until Oct. 9th, to Cincinnati at $10 80 for the round trip
8—1d&wtd

Starting homeward: They were standing just by the front gate of the old farm house, Farmer Robinson leaning on the gate post. "Well, miss, hope you've enjoyed yourself this summer. We hain't put on much style for you, but we've meant to treat you sort o' so so." "Don't mention it, pray," replied Miss Fitzjoy. "It's been the most delightful season I ever knew. Why I've learned so much about farming that I really believe I shall set out some cucumber trees in the conservatory and have them fresh for breakfast all winter."

Sad parting: "It may be months darling, before we meet again," he said, squeezing her hand as if that grip were his last; "mountains and valleys will divide us, forests and prairies, perhaps the river of death itself. Can I do anything more than I have done to make you cherish my memory and keep your love for me unchanged?" "Oh, yes," she exclaimed, choking down her sobs, "buy me a box of tortoise shell hair pins before you start."

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Up the gaaw
Public sentiment is being turned up side down by the new modes of decorating walls and ceilings Abel & Locke's new decorator is busy all the time He is an inventive genius—originates, never imitates. See specimens of his work on the ceilings at Abel & Locke's store.
34-d&wtf

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A LARGE lot of Hassocks and Ottomans will be closed out on our *cheap counter* at greatly reduced prices.
Jan. 6—d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

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Trustee's Sale.

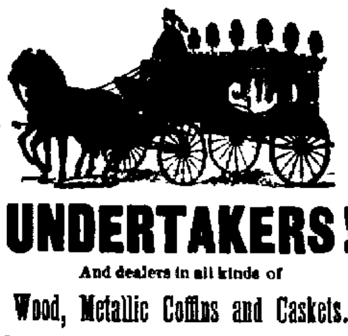
Whereas, Thomas N. Leavitt and Catherine A. Leavitt did, on the 9th day of September, A. D. 1878, by deed of trust recorded in the Recorder's office, of Macon county, Illinois, in book 35, at page 548, convey to Ellis J Underhill, trustee, the following described premises, situated in the County of Macon, and State of Illinois, to-wit Lots four (4) and five (5), in block seven (7), in the Railroad Addition to the town of Maroa, to secure the payment of one promissory note of Samuel Clothier and Thomas N Leavitt, of even date with said deed, in the sum of $400, payable to John Crocker five years after date with interest at ten per cent per annum, payable annually, upon which note and trust deed will be due October 10th, 1881, the sum of $712 61, and whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust that if default be made in payment of either principal or interest when due, the effect shall be to render the entire amount of principal and interest immediately due and payable, and upon application of the legal holder of said note it shall be lawful for said trustee to proceed and sell said premises as and for the purposes in said trust fee described, and whereas said trustee has died since the making and delivery of said trust deed, and it is provided in said trust deed that upon the death of said trustee the Sheriff of said Macon county shall be his successor in trust with like power and authority as said first mentioned trustee, and whereas default has been made in payment of the interest of said note when due so that the entire amount of interest and principal is now due and payable, and the legal holder of said note, John H. Crocker, executor of the last will of John Crocker, deceased, has applied to the undersigned to proceed and sell said premises as in said trust deed provided Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned will,

ON MONDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF OCTOBER, A. D. 1881,

At the West entrance to the Court House, in the City of Decatur, in said Macon county, at the hour of 2 o'clock P M, of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the above described premises and all the right, title, interest and equity of redemption of said Thomas N Leavitt and Catherine A. Leavitt, and all persons claiming through or under them. WM W. FOSTER,
Sheriff of Macon Co., Ill., and Successor in trust. d3td
September 5th, 1881.

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Executor's Notice.

Estate of EDWARD DODWELL, Deceased

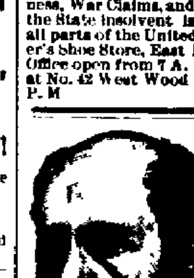
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Edward Dodwell, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the county court of Macon county, to be holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur, on the 3rd Monday of November, A. D. 1881, being the 1st day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., Sept 19, A D 1881
ELIZABETH DODWELL,
PATRICK J KEARNEY,
Executors
Sept 20—d3w

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